

**National Interagency Coordination Center  
Incident Management Situation Report  
Tuesday, July 24, 2007 - 0530 MDT  
National Preparedness Level 5**

**National Fire Activity**

|                               |                       |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Initial attack activity:      | Heavy (317 new fires) |
| New large fires:              | 4 (*)                 |
| Large fires contained:        | 6                     |
| Uncontained large fires:      | 42                    |
| Area Command Teams committed: | 2                     |
| NIMOs committed:              | 2                     |
| Type 1 IMTs committed:        | 9                     |
| Type 2 IMTs committed:        | 17                    |
| Fire Use Teams committed:     | 4                     |

\*\* Uncontained large fires do not include WFU or confine/contain incidents. \*\*

On July 23<sup>rd</sup>, a Bell 205 A-1 helicopter crashed while assigned to the Elk Complex fire near Happy Camp, CA. The pilot was fatally injured. The firefighting community extends condolences to family and friends of the deceased.

A NIMO Team (Ferguson) is assigned as a planning and operational group in support of the National Multi-Agency Coordinating Group at Boise, ID.

**Eastern Great Basin Area (PL 5)**

|                               |    |
|-------------------------------|----|
| New fires:                    | 17 |
| New large fires:              | 2  |
| Uncontained large fires:      | 15 |
| Area Command Teams committed: | 1  |
| Type 1 IMTs committed:        | 2  |
| Type 2 IMTs committed:        | 5  |
| Fire Use Teams committed:     | 2  |

Area Command Team (Ribar) is assigned to manage large fires for the Boise National Forest.

**Murphy Complex**, Twin Falls District, BLM. IMT 1 (Hawkins). Fifty-six miles southwest of Twin Falls, ID. Brush and juniper. Moderate fire activity with some running. Numerous communities and ranches remain threatened. Evacuation of Jarbidge remains in effect. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

**Salt Creek**, South Central Area, Utah Division of Forestry. IMT 1 (Ruggiero). Five miles east of Nephi, UT. Chaparral, timber and grass. Extreme wind-driven fire behavior with rapid rates of spread in some areas. Precipitation resulted in smoldering and creeping in other areas. Structures remain threatened.

**Dakota Hill** (five fires), Zion NP. IMT 2 (Sciacca). Twelve miles north of Springdale, UT. Hardwood litter, dead and down timber, grass. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering and creeping. Structures remain threatened. Evacuations on North Fork Road and road closures remain in effect.

**East Zone Complex** (three fires), Payette NF. IMT 2 (Heintz). IMT 1 (Pincha-Tulley) ordered. Thirty-two miles northeast of McCall, ID. Timber litter. Moderate fire behavior with torching. Bridges, campgrounds and numerous structures remain threatened.

**Granite**, Bridger-Teton NF. Fifteen miles southeast of Jackson, WY. Timber, grass, dead and down timber. Structures remain threatened. No further information received.

**Middle Fork Complex** (40 fires), Boise NF. IMT 2 (Whalen). Eighteen miles northeast of Lowman, ID. Timber and brush. Group torching, long-range spotting and moderate surface burning. Structures remain threatened.

**Tongue Complex** (three fires), Boise District, BLM. IMT 2 (Johnson). Forty-five miles south of Silver City, ID. Brush, grass and juniper. Light fire activity with torching.

**Paradise**, Cedar City Field Office, BLM. Ten miles northwest of Modena, UT. Timber, brush and grass. Backing fires, running and torching. Structures remain threatened.

**Cascade Complex** (17 fires), Boise NF. IMT 2 (Suwyn). IMT 1 (Opliger) ordered. Three miles northeast of Cascade, ID. Timber. Active fire behavior. Structures remain threatened.

**Kimbell**, Salt Lake Field Office, BLM. Seven miles northwest of Grantsville, UT. Timber and grass. Active fire behavior with running and torching. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

**Pearlie**, Boise District, BLM. Six miles northeast of Parma, ID. Short grass. Active fire behavior with running. Communication tower and power lines threatened.

**Trapper Ridge**, Boise NF. FUMT (Hahnenberg). Twenty-eight miles northeast of Idaho City, ID. Timber litter. Active fire behavior with torching and moderate rates of spread.

**Van Horn**, Salmon-Challis NF. Fifteen miles north of Challis, ID. Timber litter, snags, dead and down timber. Creeping and torching. Structures remain threatened.

**Black Pine 2**, Sawtooth NF. Started on private land eleven miles southeast of Malta, ID. Grass, brush, pinyon pine and juniper. Running, torching with spotting.

**North Fork**, South Idaho Timber Protective Association, Idaho Department of Lands. Fourteen miles southeast of Donnelly, ID. Timber, heavy dead and downed logs and snags. Short runs and individual tree torching.

**Krassel Complex** (5 fires), Payette NF. FUMT (Perkins). Forty-four miles northeast of Yellow Pine, ID. Grass, brush, timber litter and downed logs. Moderate fire activity with short runs.

**Jim Canyon**, Sawtooth NF. Seven miles west of Curlew, ID. Brush, juniper and grass. No new information.

| Incident Name       | St | Unit | Size    | Size Chge 24 Hrs | % CTN | Est Ctn | Totl Pers | Pers Chge 24 Hrs | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc Lost | \$\$\$ CTD | Origin Own |
|---------------------|----|------|---------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|------------|------------|
| Murphy Complex      | ID | TFD  | 562,278 | -5,443           | 20    | 8/4     | 728       | 162              | 20  | 49  | 0    | 1         | 2.6M       | BLM        |
| Salt Creek          | UT | SCS  | 21,251  | 2,748            | 20    | UNK     | 385       | 138              | 5   | 30  | 2    | 8         | 914K       | ST         |
| Dakota Hill         | UT | ZIP  | 9,156   | 214              | 81    | 7/27    | 333       | -43              | 5   | 19  | 3    | 0         | 1.6M       | NPS        |
| East Zone Complex   | ID | PAF  | 37,700  | 13,060           | 0     | 8/30    | 342       | 5                | 3   | 31  | 3    | 5         | 2.1M       | FS         |
| Granite             | WY | BTF  | 1,060   | 120              | 0     | 7/27    | 77        | 20               | 3   | 3   | 3    | 0         | 109K       | FS         |
| Middle Fork Complex | ID | BOF  | 5,300   | 300              | 20    | 8/11    | 251       | 56               | 6   | 7   | 3    | 0         | 976K       | FS         |

| Incident Name         | St | Unit | Size   | Size Chge 24 Hrs | % CTN | Est Ctn | Totl Pers | Pers Chge 24 Hrs | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc Lost | \$\$\$ CTD | Origin Own |
|-----------------------|----|------|--------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|------------|------------|
| Tongue Complex        | ID | BOD  | 46,680 | 0                | 85    | 7/24    | 404       | 4                | 10  | 16  | 3    | 3         | 2.8M       | BLM        |
| Paradise              | UT | CCD  | 6,000  | 86               | 65    | 7/25    | 150       | 18               | 6   | 7   | 1    | 5         | 350K       | BLM        |
| Cascade Complex       | ID | BOF  | 8,200  | 0                | 2     | 8/3     | 199       | 19               | 4   | 6   | 0    | 0         | 550K       | FS         |
| Kimbell               | UT | SLD  | 14,600 | -2,500           | 60    | 7/26    | 120       | -8               | 8   | 4   | 1    | 2         | NR         | BLM        |
| * Pearlie             | ID | BOD  | 500    | ---              | 80    | UNK     | 28        | ---              | 0   | 4   | 0    | 0         | NR         | BLM        |
| Trapper Ridge – WFU   | ID | BOF  | 10,884 | 1,422            | N/A   | N/A     | 82        | 65               | 5   | 0   | 0    | 0         | 101K       | FS         |
| Van Horn              | ID | SCF  | 1,500  | 0                | 15    | 8/4     | 97        | 22               | 3   | 3   | 1    | 0         | 415K       | FS         |
| Black Pine 2          | ID | STF  | 73,123 | 100              | 90    | 8/5     | 49        | 0                | 2   | 5   | 1    | 0         | 3.4M       | PRI        |
| North Fork            | ID | SIS  | 800    | 0                | 5     | 8/5     | 11        | 0                | 0   | 3   | 0    | 0         | 200K       | ST         |
| Krassel Complex – WFU | ID | PAF  | 11,700 | 101              | N/A   | N/A     | 42        | 0                | 0   | 0   | 1    | 0         | 281K       | FS         |
| Jim Canyon            | ID | STF  | 4,300  | ---              | 95    | UNK     | 1         | ---              | 0   | 0   | 0    | 0         | NR         | FS         |
| * Pipeline            | ID | IFDS | 500    | ---              | 100   | ---     | 43        | ---              | 1   | 4   | 0    | 0         | NR         | BLM        |

IFDS – Idaho Falls District - South, BLM

### **Western Great Basin Area (PL 5)**

New fires: 4  
New large fires: 0  
Uncontained large fires: 5  
Area Command Teams committed: 1  
Type 1 IMTs committed: 3  
Type 2 IMTs committed: 2

Area Command Team (Loach) is assigned to manage large fires for the Elko Field Office, BLM.

**Winecup Complex** (nine fires), Elko Field Office, BLM. Transfer of command from IMT 1 (Broyles) to IMT 1 (Martin) today. Six miles west of Jackpot, NV. Brush, grass, pinyon pine and juniper. Active fire behavior. Structures remain threatened. Evacuations in progress.

**Antelope Complex** (six fires), Battle Mountain Field Office, BLM. IMT 1 (Muir). Thirty-six miles north of Austin, NV. Brush and grass. Creeping and smoldering with interior torching.

**Cathedral**, Humboldt-Toiyabe NF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Woychak) back to local unit today. Twenty-five miles southwest of Ely, NV. Pinyon pine and juniper. Minimal fire behavior. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

**Tippetts**, Ely Field Office, BLM. Fifty-eight miles northwest of Ely, NV. Brush, grass and juniper. Isolated interior torching.

**Hepworth Complex** (four fires), Elko Field Office, BLM. IMT 2 (Saleen). Ten miles north of Wells, NV. Grass, brush, juniper and hardwoods. Creeping and smoldering.

| Incident Name     | St | Unit | Size    | Size Chge 24 Hrs | % CTN | Est Ctn | Totl Pers | Pers Chge 24 Hrs | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc Lost | \$\$ CTD | Origin Own |
|-------------------|----|------|---------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Winecup Complex   | NV | EKD  | 205,847 | 13,000           | 21    | UNK     | 482       | 96               | 8   | 36  | 4    | 1         | 2.3M     | BLM        |
| Antelope Complex  | NV | BMD  | 136,778 | 3,257            | 78    | UNK     | 292       | 38               | 7   | 21  | 2    | 0         | NR       | BLM        |
| Cathedral         | NV | HTF  | 3,847   | 0                | 90    | UNK     | 152       | -29              | 2   | 9   | 1    | 1         | 795K     | FS         |
| Tippetts          | NV | ELD  | 3,501   | 0                | NR    | 7/25    | 7         | -1               | 0   | 2   | 0    | 0         | NR       | BLM        |
| Hepworth Complex  | NV | EKD  | 58,427  | ---              | 90    | 7/24    | 439       | -3               | 12  | 22  | 4    | 5         | 2.2M     | BLM        |
| Red House Complex | NV | EKD  | 71,340  | ---              | 100   | ---     | 403       | -74              | 8   | 27  | 1    | 5         | 1.4M     | BLM        |
| Hawken            | NV | HTF  | 2,710   | 0                | 100   | ---     | 42        | -105             | 1   | 5   | 0    | 0         | 3.4M     | PRI        |
| Barrel Springs 2  | NV | WID  | 300     | -50              | 100   | ---     | 50        | 30               | 2   | 2   | 0    | 0         | NR       | BLM        |

WID - Winnemucca Field Office, BLM

### **Northern Rockies Area (PL 5)**

New fires: 24  
New large fires: 1  
Uncontained large fires: 12  
Type 1 IMTs committed: 2  
Type 2 IMTs committed: 5  
Fire Use Teams committed: 1

**Poe Cabin**, Craig Mountain Area Office, Idaho Department of Lands. IMT 1 (Stanich). Twenty-three miles southwest of Grangeville, ID. Timber and grass. Group torching and short up-slope runs. Communities and structures remain threatened. Evacuations and road closures remain in effect.

**Chimney Complex**, Craig Mountain Area Office, Idaho Department of Lands. IMT 2 (Kusicko). Nineteen miles south of Lewiston, ID. Timber and grass. Active fire behavior. Numerous structures remain threatened. Evacuations remain in effect.

**Ahorn**, Lewis and Clark NF. IMT 1 (Bennett). IMT is also managing Novak and Little Wolf Creek fires. Thirty miles west of Augusta, MT. Timber litter. Active fire behavior with group torching and short runs. Structures remain threatened.

**Novak**, Central Land Office, Montana DNR. Ten miles southwest of Cascade, MT. Timber, brush and grass. Active fire behavior with torching, spotting and short runs. Structures remain threatened. Evacuations in effect.

**Little Wolf Creek**, Central Land Office, Montana DNR. Forty-six miles west of Great Falls, MT. Timber, brush and grass. Creeping and smoldering. Structures remain threatened. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

**Rattlesnake**, Nez Perce NF. IMT 2 (Turman). IMT is also managing the Concord WFU. Twenty-five miles south of Elk City, ID. Timber and grass. Active fire behavior with short crown runs. Communities, recreation areas and structures remain threatened.

**Fool Creek**, Lewis and Clark NF. FUMT (Hall). Thirty miles northwest of Choteau, MT. Timber litter. Creeping and smoldering.

**Owl**, Yellowstone NP. IMT 2 (Wilder). Forty-five miles south of Bozeman, MT. Timber and grass. Active fire behavior with long range spotting. Structures remain threatened. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

**Rugby**, Lewis and Clark NF. IMT 2 (Angell). Twelve miles west of Neihart, MT. Timber. Group torching and short runs. Structures remain threatened.

**Pattengail Creek**, Beaverhead/Deerlodge NF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Secrest) back to local unit tomorrow. Ten miles northeast of Wisdom, MT. Timber. Active fire behavior with group torching and long range spotting.

**Walk In**, Northern Cheyenne Agency, BIA. Eight miles northwest of Ashland, MT. Logging slash. No further information.

**Meriwether**, Central Land Office, Montana DNR. Thirty-seven miles northwest of Helena, MT. Timber and grass. Active fire behavior.

**Concord**, Nez Perce NF. Twenty miles southwest of Elk City, ID. Timber litter. Moderate fire activity. Structures remain threatened.

**Elm Street Complex** (two fires), Idaho Panhandle NF. Seven miles north of Clarkia, ID. Timber. Smoldering.

| Incident Name      | St | Unit | Size   | Size Chge 24 Hrs | % CTN | Est Ctn | Totl Pers | Pers Chge 24 Hrs | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc Lost | \$\$ CTD | Origin Own |
|--------------------|----|------|--------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Poe Cabin          | ID | CMS  | 35,000 | 7,000            | 15    | 8/12    | 302       | 187              | 4   | 25  | 3    | 10        | 556K     | ST         |
| Chimney Complex    | ID | CMS  | 51,000 | 0                | 55    | 7/28    | 426       | 0                | 11  | 16  | 9    | 5         | 3.1M     | ST         |
| Ahorn              | MT | LCF  | 8,792  | 1,442            | 0     | UNK     | 183       | 0                | 2   | 10  | 2    | 0         | 1.8M     | FS         |
| Novak              | MT | CES  | 1,750  | 1,133            | 0     | UNK     | 81        | 34               | 3   | 5   | 0    | 0         | 240K     | ST         |
| Little Wolf Creek  | MT | CES  | 547    | -23              | 90    | 7/25    | 168       | 20               | 6   | 4   | 1    | 0         | 425K     | ST         |
| Rattlesnake        | ID | NPF  | 14,000 | 800              | 0     | 10/1    | 312       | 37               | 6   | 11  | 2    | 0         | 1.5M     | FS         |
| Fool Creek – WFU   | MT | LCF  | 6,214  | 0                | N/A   | N/A     | 65        | 1                | 0   | 1   | 3    | 0         | 967K     | FS         |
| Owl                | WY | YNP  | 303    | -97              | 0     | UNK     | 28        | 18               | 0   | 0   | 2    | 0         | NR       | NPS        |
| Rugby              | MT | LCF  | 210    | 0                | NR    | UNK     | 91        | 3                | 3   | 6   | 0    | 0         | NR       | FS         |
| Pattengail Creek   | MT | BDF  | 4,058  | 346              | 26    | UNK     | 101       | -43              | 1   | 0   | 2    | 0         | 1.7M     | FS         |
| Walk In            | MT | NCA  | 105    | 0                | 80    | 7/28    | 60        | 0                | 4   | 5   | 1    | 0         | NR       | BIA        |
| * Meriwether       | MT | CES  | 1,000  | ---              | 0     | UNK     | 6         | ---              | 0   | 0   | 1    | 0         | NR       | ST         |
| Concord - WFU      | ID | NPF  | 1,050  | 100              | N/A   | N/A     | 13        | 4                | 0   | 0   | 0    | 0         | 60K      | FS         |
| Elm Street Complex | ID | IPF  | 107    | 2                | 50    | 7/24    | 155       | 0                | 6   | 1   | 1    | 0         | 804K     | FS         |

### **Rocky Mountain (PL 3)**

New fires: 72  
New large fires: 0  
Uncontained large fires: 1  
Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

**Box Elder**, Black Hills NF. IMT 2 (Lowe). Eight miles northwest of Rapid City, SD. Timber, grass, hardwood litter and logging slash. Moderate fire behavior with spotting and creeping. Structures remain threatened.

| Incident Name | St | Unit | Size | Size Chge 24 Hrs | % CTN | Est Ctn | Totl Pers | Pers Chge 24 Hrs | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc Lost | \$\$\$ CTD | Origin Own |
|---------------|----|------|------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|------------|------------|
| Box Elder     | SD | BKF  | 322  | 0                | 70    | 7/25    | 453       | 190              | 10  | 43  | 8    | 0         | 750K       | NF         |

### **Northwest Area (PL 4)**

New fires: 15  
New large fires: 0  
Uncontained large fires: 6  
Type 1 IMTs committed: 1  
Type 2 IMTs committed: 4  
Fire Use Teams committed: 1

**Battle Creek Complex** (three fires), Wallowa-Whitman NF. IMT 1 (Hoff). Twenty-eight miles northeast of Enterprise, OR. Grass, timber, brush and timber litter. Active fire behavior with crowning, torching, running and long range spotting. Historic structures, residences and power lines remain threatened.

**Monument Complex**, Umatilla NF. IMT 2 (West). Five miles north of Monument, OR. Timber, juniper, slash and grass. Torching and running. Power lines remain threatened.

**Trout Creek**, Wallowa-Whitman NF. IMT 2 (Blume). Twenty-nine miles northeast of Baker City, OR. Timber, timber litter and grass. Torching. Structures remain threatened.

**WSA Lightning Complex** (three fires), Warm Springs Agency, BIA. Washington IMT 2 (Jennings). Twenty-one miles southwest of Warm Springs, OR. Timber litter and brush. Active fire behavior with torching and some spotting. Structures remain threatened.

**Juniper Reservoir**, Vale District, BLM. IMT 2 (Reinarz). Fifty-four miles west of Vale, OR. Brush and slash. Moderate fire activity with torching and creeping.

**Tolo**, North Cascades NP. FUMT (Bonefeld). Thirty-three miles west of Winthrop, WA. Timber litter and hardwoods. Minimal fire activity.

| Incident Name        | St | Unit | Size   | Size Chge 24 Hrs | % CTN | Est Ctn | Totl Pers | Pers Chge 24 Hrs | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc Lost | \$\$ CTD | Origin Own |
|----------------------|----|------|--------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Battle Creek Complex | OR | WWF  | 47,992 | 3,845            | 20    | 8/20    | 682       | 58               | 16  | 32  | 5    | 0         | 2.4M     | FS         |

| Incident Name         | St | Unit | Size   | Size Chge 24 Hrs | % CTN | Est Ctn | Totl Pers | Pers Chge 24 Hrs | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc Lost | \$\$ CTD | Origin Own |
|-----------------------|----|------|--------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Monument Complex      | OR | UMF  | 49,000 | 3,000            | 45    | 8/1     | 1,119     | 152              | 29  | 71  | 7    | 14        | 5.6M     | FS         |
| Trout Creek           | OR | WWF  | 543    | 0                | 65    | 7/27    | 326       | 1                | 12  | 3   | 2    | 0         | 1.4M     | FS         |
| WSA Lightning Complex | OR | WSA  | 4,646  | 0                | 50    | 7/25    | 673       | 11               | 19  | 40  | 4    | 0         | 4.1M     | BIA        |
| Juniper Reservoir     | OR | VAD  | 29,000 | 0                | 75    | 7/24    | 307       | -46              | 5   | 23  | 2    | 0         | 2.5M     | BLM        |
| Tolo                  | WA | NCP  | 154    | 0                | 0     | 8/15    | 46        | 0                | 0   | 1   | 2    | 0         | 50K      | NPS        |

### **Southern California Area (PL 3)**

New fires: 22  
New large fires: 0  
Uncontained large fires: 1  
NIMOs committed: 1

**Zaca**, Los Padres NF. NIMO (Gelobter). Fifteen miles northeast of Buellton, CA. Chaparral and hardwoods. Moderate fire behavior. Forest roads remain closed.

| Incident Name | St | Unit | Size   | Size Chge 24 Hrs | % CTN | Est Ctn | Totl Pers | Pers Chge 24 Hrs | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc Lost | \$\$ CTD | Origin Own |
|---------------|----|------|--------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Zaca          | CA | LPF  | 31,050 | 50               | 60    | 8/3     | 801       | -36              | 21  | 12  | 20   | 1         | 31.9M    | FS         |

### **Northern California Area (PL 3)**

New fires: 26  
New large fires: 0  
Uncontained large fires: 1  
Type 1 IMTs committed: 1

**Elk Complex** (six fires), Klamath NF. IMT 1 (Dietrich). Two miles east of Happy Camp, CA. Timber, snags, litter and brush. Moderate fire activity with torching, creeping and smoldering. Communities of Happy Camp and Elk Creek and recreation sites remain threatened. River recreation activities restricted.

| Incident Name | St | Unit | Size  | Size Chge 24 Hrs | % CTN | Est Ctn | Totl Pers | Pers Chge 24 Hrs | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc Lost | \$\$ CTD | Origin Own |
|---------------|----|------|-------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Elk Complex   | CA | KNF  | 9,085 | 598              | 22    | 7/29    | 1,107     | 4                | 28  | 24  | 8    | 0         | 8.9M     | FS         |

**Southern Area (PL 2)**

New fires: 110  
New large fires: 1  
Uncontained large fires: 1

**New Crossing**, National Forests in Florida. Three miles west of Wilma, FL. Timber litter. Minimal fire activity.

| Incident Name   | St | Unit | Size | Size Chge 24 Hrs | % CTN | Est Ctn | Totl Pers | Pers Chge 24 Hrs | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc Lost | \$\$ CTD | Origin Own |
|-----------------|----|------|------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| New Crossing    | FL | FNF  | 176  | 0                | 90    | 7/28    | 8         | 0                | 0   | 3   | 1    | 0         | 22K      | FS         |
| Wassaw North #1 | GA | WSR  | 935  | 484              | 100   | ---     | 35        | 7                | 1   | 0   | 1    | 0         | 31K      | FWS        |
| * Flynn         | FL | BCP  | 506  | ---              | 100   | ---     | 2         | ---              | 0   | 0   | 1    | 0         | NR       | NPS        |

WSR - Wassaw National Wildlife Refuge, FWS

BCP - Big Cypress National Preserve, NPS

**Predictive Services Discussion: Thunderstorm activity increasing and becoming wetter the next couple of days.** The number and coverage of thunderstorms will be on the increase as monsoon moisture spreads into the West increasing relative humidity in many locations. Thunderstorms are expected to be mostly wet today and will develop over the Four Corner states, the Great Basin, southern California, the Sierra Nevada mountains, southeast Oregon, Montana and Wyoming. Hot conditions will continue today across Montana into the northern Great Plains in combination with windy conditions.



[http://www.nifc.gov/sixminutes/dsp\\_sixminutes.php](http://www.nifc.gov/sixminutes/dsp_sixminutes.php)

### THUNDERSTORM SAFETY

Thunderstorms cause significant hazards for wildland firefighters, including downbursts that can cause extreme fire behavior and lightning. When thunderstorm development is likely, lookouts should be posted and aware of signs of a developing storm. A sudden reversal in wind direction, a noticeable rise in wind speed, and a sharp drop in temperature may note the mature stage of a storm. Heavy rain, hail and lightning occur only in the mature stage of a thunderstorm. During a storm, use the following guidelines:

- Do not lie down.
  - The best position is sitting on the pack or crouching with feet close together.
  - Avoid sitting directly on the ground, if possible; but, if necessary, keep feet and butt close together.
  - Avoid grouping together. Keep a minimum of 15 feet between people when possible.
  - Removing caulk boots will not provide safety if stocking covered or bare feet are then in contact with the ground--don't bother!
  
- "Stay out of dry creek beds" is correct for flash floods, but has nothing to do with lightning.
  
- Handheld radios (with short rubber antennas) or cell phones are safe to use. Communication is vital to crew safety. Do not use land line radios or radios with elevated antennas.
  
- Wide, open spaces are better than trees or clumps of trees in the vicinity. Ridge tops, etc., should be avoided.
  
- If you feel the hair on your arms or head "stand up," there is a high probability of a strike in the vicinity. Crouch or sit on a pack.
  
- Put down all tools.
  
- Take shelter in vehicles if possible.

**FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:**

| AREA                |       | BIA | BLM    | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS   | TOTAL  |
|---------------------|-------|-----|--------|-----|-----|-------|--------|--------|
| Alaska              | FIRES |     |        | 2   | 1   | 2     |        | 5      |
|                     | ACRES |     |        | 0   | 0   | 0     |        | 0      |
| Northwest           | FIRES |     | 3      | 1   |     | 9     | 2      | 15     |
|                     | ACRES |     | 27     | 1   |     | 17    | 0      | 45     |
| Northern California | FIRES | 1   |        |     |     | 24    | 1      | 26     |
|                     | ACRES | 0   |        |     |     | 60    | 0      | 60     |
| Southern California | FIRES |     | 1      |     |     | 17    | 4      | 22     |
|                     | ACRES |     | 48     |     |     | 4     | 15     | 67     |
| Northern Rockies    | FIRES | 2   |        |     |     | 6     | 16     | 24     |
|                     | ACRES | 3   |        |     |     | 6,717 | 2,255  | 8,975  |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES |     | 8      |     |     | 8     | 1      | 17     |
|                     | ACRES |     | 1,111  |     |     | 2     | 13,061 | 14,174 |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES |     | 2      |     |     | 1     | 1      | 4      |
|                     | ACRES |     | 27,544 |     |     | 0     | 1      | 27,545 |
| Southwest           | FIRES | 3   | 2      |     |     |       | 12     | 17     |
|                     | ACRES | 0   | 0      |     |     |       | 1      | 1      |
| Rocky Mountain      | FIRES | 51  | 10     |     |     | 6     | 5      | 72     |
|                     | ACRES | 49  | 11     |     |     | 20    | 1      | 81     |
| Eastern Area        | FIRES |     |        |     | 1   | 4     |        | 5      |
|                     | ACRES |     |        |     | 1   | 19    |        | 20     |
| Southern Area       | FIRES |     |        |     | 4   | 104   | 2      | 110    |
|                     | ACRES |     |        |     | 688 | 1,636 | 5      | 2,329  |
| TOTAL               | FIRES | 57  | 26     | 3   | 6   | 181   | 44     | 317    |
|                     | ACRES | 52  | 28,741 | 1   | 689 | 8,475 | 15,339 | 53,297 |

### Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

| AREA                |       | BIA    | BLM       | FWS     | NPS    | ST/OT     | USFS    | TOTAL     |
|---------------------|-------|--------|-----------|---------|--------|-----------|---------|-----------|
| Alaska              | FIRES | 2      | 29        | 30      | 18     | 328       | 8       | 415       |
|                     | ACRES | 2      | 2,531     | 36,836  | 568    | 184,935   | 2       | 224,874   |
| Northwest           | FIRES | 215    | 165       | 11      | 32     | 1,007     | 560     | 1,990     |
|                     | ACRES | 5,812  | 115,518   | 252     | 164    | 72,968    | 81,486  | 276,200   |
| Northern California | FIRES | 78     | 17        | 1       | 17     | 1,203     | 397     | 1,713     |
|                     | ACRES | 64     | 230       | 1       | 6      | 20,929    | 38,529  | 59,759    |
| Southern California | FIRES | 59     | 57        | 10      | 14     | 2,541     | 321     | 3,002     |
|                     | ACRES | 2,476  | 8,966     | 31      | 2,004  | 13,588    | 44,760  | 71,825    |
| Northern Rockies    | FIRES | 779    | 32        | 15      | 6      | 569       | 488     | 1,889     |
|                     | ACRES | 9,318  | 23,201    | 336     | 26     | 66,526    | 47,862  | 147,269   |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES | 17     | 349       | 4       | 30     | 494       | 368     | 1,262     |
|                     | ACRES | 22,575 | 1,048,911 | 9       | 8,499  | 209,842   | 134,767 | 1,424,603 |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES | 3      | 301       | 3       | 23     | 141       | 65      | 536       |
|                     | ACRES | 385    | 438,950   | 38      | 408    | 84,706    | 19,044  | 543,531   |
| Southwest           | FIRES | 638    | 130       | 8       | 62     | 637       | 1,059   | 2,534     |
|                     | ACRES | 13,304 | 1,765     | 1,540   | 635    | 37,056    | 37,622  | 91,922    |
| Rocky Mountain      | FIRES | 687    | 319       | 13      | 27     | 361       | 283     | 1,690     |
|                     | ACRES | 1,690  | 5,591     | 517     | 312    | 28,452    | 3,121   | 39,683    |
| Eastern Area        | FIRES | 419    |           | 65      | 19     | 7,669     | 378     | 8,550     |
|                     | ACRES | 8,371  |           | 1,371   | 452    | 114,784   | 38,917  | 163,895   |
| Southern Area       | FIRES | 265    |           | 94      | 63     | 30,499    | 779     | 31,700    |
|                     | ACRES | 13,788 |           | 343,978 | 66,944 | 768,699   | 159,982 | 1,353,391 |
| TOTAL               | FIRES | 3,162  | 1,399     | 254     | 311    | 45,449    | 4,706   | 55,281    |
|                     | ACRES | 77,785 | 1,645,663 | 384,909 | 80,018 | 1,602,485 | 606,092 | 4,396,952 |

|                               |                  |
|-------------------------------|------------------|
| <b>Ten Year Average Fires</b> | <b>48,785</b>    |
| <b>Ten Year Average Acres</b> | <b>3,094,382</b> |

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### Prescribed Fires and Acres Yesterday

| AREA                |       | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS | TOTAL |
|---------------------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|------|-------|
| Alaska              | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| Northwest           | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| Northern California | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| Southern California | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| Northern Rockies    | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| Southwest           | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| Rocky Mountain      | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| Eastern Area        | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| Southern Area       | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| TOTAL               | FIRES | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0     | 0    | 0     |
|                     | ACRES | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0     | 0    | 0     |

### Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

| AREA                |       | BIA    | BLM    | FWS     | NPS    | ST/OT     | USFS      | TOTAL     |
|---------------------|-------|--------|--------|---------|--------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Alaska              | FIRES |        |        |         |        |           |           | 0         |
|                     | ACRES |        |        |         |        |           |           | 0         |
| Northwest           | FIRES | 21     | 60     | 17      | 3      |           | 369       | 470       |
|                     | ACRES | 5,640  | 8,468  | 4,783   | 98     |           | 32,664    | 51,653    |
| Northern California | FIRES |        | 3      | 7       | 9      | 21        | 194       | 234       |
|                     | ACRES |        | 175    | 19,974  | 14     | 2,769     | 11,412    | 34,344    |
| Southern California | FIRES |        | 4      | 10      | 10     | 5         | 90        | 119       |
|                     | ACRES |        | 180    | 3,011   | 450    | 57        | 9,512     | 13,210    |
| Northern Rockies    | FIRES | 2      | 20     | 83      | 8      | 54        | 222       | 389       |
|                     | ACRES | 438    | 2,834  | 19,882  | 459    | 1,825     | 21,672    | 47,110    |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES | 4      | 19     | 6       | 3      | 13        | 55        | 100       |
|                     | ACRES | 164    | 3,241  | 802     | 427    | 3,249     | 16,543    | 24,426    |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES |        | 8      | 5       | 3      |           | 1         | 17        |
|                     | ACRES |        | 3,439  | 1,415   | 5      |           | 16        | 4,875     |
| Southwest           | FIRES | 52     | 62     | 11      | 15     |           | 166       | 306       |
|                     | ACRES | 9,353  | 14,808 | 2,876   | 1,430  |           | 47,528    | 75,995    |
| Rocky Mountain      | FIRES | 38     | 41     | 99      | 11     | 29        | 103       | 321       |
|                     | ACRES | 3,744  | 6,790  | 23,874  | 3,609  | 3,241     | 34,000    | 75,258    |
| Eastern Area        | FIRES | 41     |        | 324     | 32     | 1,358     | 143       | 1,898     |
|                     | ACRES | 15,716 |        | 48,185  | 4,114  | 87,621    | 35,615    | 191,251   |
| Southern Area       | FIRES | 20     |        | 310     | 69     | 14,926    | 875       | 16,200    |
|                     | ACRES | 18,108 |        | 125,793 | 61,712 | 949,596   | 879,060   | 2,034,269 |
| TOTAL               | FIRES | 178    | 217    | 872     | 163    | 16,406    | 2,218     | 20,054    |
|                     | ACRES | 53,163 | 39,935 | 250,595 | 72,318 | 1,048,358 | 1,088,022 | 2,552,391 |

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### WFU Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

| AREA                |       | BIA | BLM    | FWS    | NPS    | ST/OT | USFS   | TOTAL   |
|---------------------|-------|-----|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|---------|
| Alaska              | FIRES |     | 22     | 16     | 13     | 3     |        | 54      |
|                     | ACRES |     | 29,839 | 57,823 | 25,032 | 449   |        | 113,143 |
| Northwest           | FIRES |     |        |        |        |       |        | 0       |
|                     | ACRES |     |        |        |        |       |        | 0       |
| Northern California | FIRES |     |        |        | 3      |       | 1      | 4       |
|                     | ACRES |     |        |        | 1      |       | 0      | 1       |
| Southern California | FIRES |     |        |        | 12     |       | 1      | 13      |
|                     | ACRES |     |        |        | 146    |       | 85     | 231     |
| Northern Rockies    | FIRES |     |        |        | 1      |       | 30     | 31      |
|                     | ACRES |     |        |        | 1      |       | 8,073  | 8,074   |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES |     |        |        | 1      |       | 10     | 11      |
|                     | ACRES |     |        |        | 0      |       | 12,331 | 12,331  |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES |     | 3      |        |        |       |        | 3       |
|                     | ACRES |     | 701    |        |        |       |        | 701     |
| Southwest           | FIRES |     |        |        | 5      | 1     | 33     | 39      |
|                     | ACRES |     |        |        | 2      | 149   | 28,656 | 28,807  |
| Rocky Mountain      | FIRES |     | 6      |        | 1      |       | 7      | 14      |
|                     | ACRES |     | 385    |        | 0      |       | 63     | 448     |
| Eastern Area        | FIRES |     |        |        |        |       |        | 0       |
|                     | ACRES |     |        |        |        |       |        | 0       |
| Southern Area       | FIRES |     |        |        | 10     |       | 1      | 11      |
|                     | ACRES |     |        |        | 1,708  |       | 3,481  | 5,189   |
| TOTAL               | FIRES | 0   | 31     | 16     | 46     | 4     | 83     | 180     |
|                     | ACRES | 0   | 30,925 | 57,823 | 26,890 | 598   | 52,689 | 168,925 |

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### Canada Fires and Hectares

| PROVINCES            | FIRES<br>YESTERDAY | HECTARES<br>YESTERDAY | FIRES<br>YEAR-to-DATE | HECTARES<br>YEAR-to-DATE |
|----------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| British Columbia     | 9                  | 0                     | 908                   | 13,233                   |
| Yukon Territory      | 0                  | 0                     | 73                    | 30,763                   |
| Alberta              | 14                 | 40,059                | 935                   | 88,936                   |
| Northwest Territory  | 0                  | 0                     | 160                   | 225,190                  |
| Saskatchewan         | 9                  | 5,699                 | 257                   | 164,431                  |
| Manitoba             | 17                 | 9,740                 | 243                   | 117,744                  |
| Ontario              | 14                 | 10                    | 512                   | 35,293                   |
| Quebec               | 2                  | 0                     | 637                   | 359,535                  |
| Newfoundland         | 0                  | 0                     | 68                    | 1,638                    |
| New Brunswick        | 0                  | 0                     | 238                   | 426                      |
| Nova Scotia          | 0                  | 0                     | 372                   | 638                      |
| Prince Edward Island | 0                  | 0                     | 6                     | 18                       |
| National Parks       | 1                  | 20                    | 42                    | 191,067                  |
| <b>Total</b>         | <b>66</b>          | <b>55,528</b>         | <b>4,451</b>          | <b>1,228,911</b>         |

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